Hello,

I am writing to OPPOSE the passage of HB 7199, SB 858 and SB 94.

I am a parent of three and a registered nurse. In general, I am in favor of vaccines and advocate for them. However this is a different issue.

I am concerned, not just for my own family but for the public health of all.

☆ Parental consent should be obtained prior to administration of anything.

☆ The gardasil vaccine has multiple issues. It has Why is it mandatory when it is against an acquired disease. Is it safe in all populations, including special needs individuals and the immunocompromised. Why is it mandatory and without parental consent. Until all of these, and more, are addressed gardasil should not be mandatory.

Please do NOT allow these bills to pass. It is not just about health, but about rights.

- 1. HB 7199 = The HPV (Gardasil) vaccine will be MANDATORY for boys and girls to enter 9th grade.
- 2. SB 858 = Kids will get the HPV vaccine without parental consent.
- 3. SB-94 = Pharmacists can issue a vaccine to kids 12 and over

Thank you for your time and consideration!

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